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Attorney Docket No. 49981.6.1
(Formerly 17238.79)

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

In re the application of:

David Hauch

Application No.: 10/658,655

Examiner: O'Malley, Kathryn S.

Filed: September 9, 2003

Group Art Unit: 3749

For: FORCED AIR CIRCULATION FOR CENTRIFUGAL PELLET DRYER

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

[X] Applicant(s) is/are entitled to small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27.

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[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for presentation of extra claims or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1910.

Respectfully submitted,



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In response to the Office Action of November 16, 2004, amendment to the above-identified patent application is requested. Please amend the above-identified application as follows: